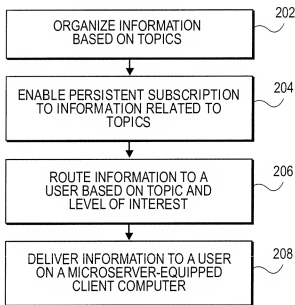


**FIG. 1**

**FIG. 2**

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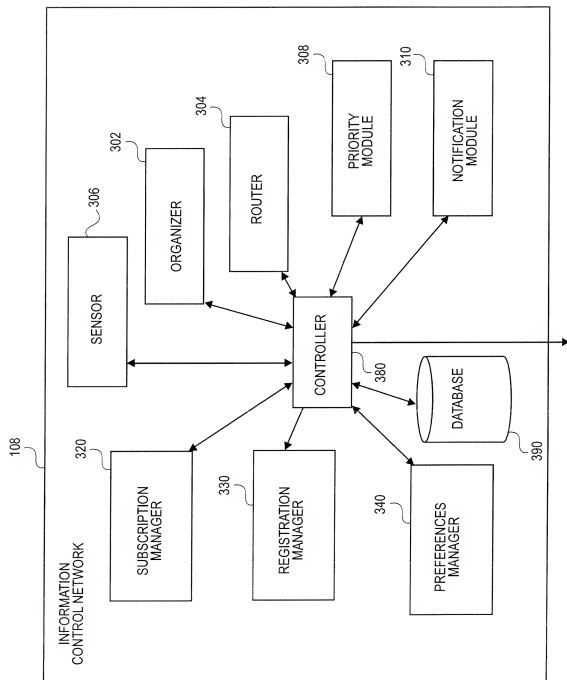


FIG. 3

**FIG. 4**

400

402

Subscribe to a topic

404

Subscribe by name:

Who  410

What  412

Where  414

When  416

406

Subscribe by category:

Top > Entertainment > Music

- + Benefits
- + Classical
- + Pop 40
  - ⋮
  - Raw Sienna
  - 420
  - REO Speedwagon
  - ⋮
- + Reggae
- + Others

500

Subscribe to a user's presence 502

504 by e-mail address 508

506 by contact info

First name 510

Last name 512

Country 514

City 516

State 518

Search 530

A rectangular form labeled 500. At the top is a title box 502 containing the text "Subscribe to a user's presence". Below the title are two radio button options: "by e-mail address" (labeled 504) and "by contact info" (labeled 506). To the right of the "by e-mail address" option is a text input field 508. Below the "by contact info" option are five stacked text input fields for "First name" (510), "Last name" (512), "Country" (514), "City" (516), and "State" (518). At the bottom center is a "Search" button (530).

**FIG. 5**

600

Subscribe to a Web resource 602

URL: http:// 604

A rectangular form labeled 600. At the top is a title box 602 containing the text "Subscribe to a Web resource". Below the title is a "URL:" label followed by a text input field 604 that contains the text "http://".

**FIG. 6**

700

Register a device/application - subscribe 702

Notify me on my: 704

- Pager 710
- Cell phone (read it to me) 712
- Cell phone (data message) 714
- E-mail 716
- Microserver- equipped client 718
- Microsoft® Instant Messenger 720
- Yahoo! Instant Messenger 722
- AOL Instant Messenger 724
- Fax Machine 726
- Others... 728

Address/number to notify me at: 740

1768825@skytel.com

FIG. 7

800

808 Register an application/device - Publish 802

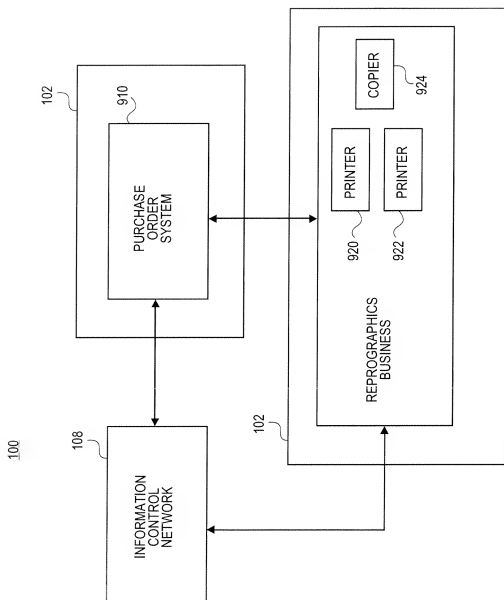
☒ Publish info to the Information Control Network 804

☐ Also publish info to 810

ICN .mycorp.com 806

812

FIG. 8



**FIG. 9**

1000

Set/Change your preferences 1002

Notify me according to the following priorities: 1004

Default Priority level

Email < 30      Instant Messenger 31-89      Pager > 89

0      30      50      90      100

Registered devices

E-mail  
IM  
Pager

1020      1008

Lunch hour

Email < 75      Pager ≥ 75

0      75      100

1030

Weekends

Email < 80      Pager ≥ 80

0      80      100

1040

Escalate an event based on the following rules: 1006

Escalate an event of priority 1052  or greater 1054 by 1054

1056  every 1058  until I acknowledge receipt.

FIG. 10



